

## **PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION**

The Administrator, Division of Environmental Protection, Carson City, Nevada is issuing the following notice of proposed action under the Nevada Revised Statutes and the Clean Water Act. The Administrator has received a complete application to renew National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit NV0021091 from the following applicant:

**COLORITE WATERWORKS  
909 EAST GLENDALE AVENUE  
SPARKS, NEVADA 89431**

Colorite WaterWorks operates a garden hose manufacturing facility at 909 East Glendale Avenue in Sparks, Washoe County, Nevada. The proposed permit is for discharge of cooling water to the City of Sparks storm drain system, which discharges to the People's Ditch and ultimately to the Truckee River. The proposed permit term is for a five (5) year period.

Based on a preliminary review of the requirements of the Nevada Revised Statutes and implementing regulations, the Administrator proposes to re-issue NPDES Permit NV0021091, subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions. Comments regarding the proposed Administrative determination(s) to re-issue the permit or requests for a hearing pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code, Water Pollution Control should be submitted in writing, within 30 days of the publication date of this notice, to:

**Department of Conservation and Natural Resources  
Division of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Water Pollution Control  
333 West Nye Lane  
Carson City, Nevada 89706**

Comments and requests received by 5:00 pm on July 15, 2001 will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. If written comments indicate a significant public interest in the proposed permit, the Administrator shall hold a public hearing. A public notice of such hearing will be issued not less than thirty (30) days prior to the hearing date. If no hearing is held and the determination(s) of the Administrator are substantially changed from the tentative determination(s), the Administrator will give public notice of the revised determination(s). Additional comments and objections will be considered at that time.

The application, proposed permit, comments received, and other information are on file and may be copied, or copies may be obtained by writing to the above address or by contacting Tamara Niles at the Bureau of Water Pollution Control at 775.687.4670, extension 3141. Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all persons whom you know would be interested in this matter.